

TWO HERDS OF
STOCK KILLED
DURING DAY

MRS. ANNA O'MALLEY AND GEO. HARMS STOCK KILLED BY THE OFFICIALS.

TEN CASES IN PALMYRA

Three New Cases There This Week Swell Total In Vicinity to Twenty.

CASES OF FOOT AND MOUTH
DISEASE IN VICINITY
SINCE FIRST OF YEAR
North of River.

G. W. Smith, Palmyra.
Bert Hoyle, Palmyra.
Henry Hey, Woosung township.
L. W. Mitchell, Palmyra.
Granville Reigle, Palmyra.
C. C. Barnett, Grand Detour township.
Fred S. Lord, Palmyra.
John Praetz, Dixon township.
Paul McKenna, Palmyra.
George Harms, Palmyra.
David Stauffer, Pine Creek.
Ira Rutt, Palmyra township.
Meppin Brothers, Palmyra township.
Henry Carlson, Palmyra.
South of River.
Mrs. Anna O'Malley, Marion.
R. W. Foltz, South Dixon.
Freel Wade, South Dixon.
Michael Conroy, South Dixon.
Lester Hoyle, Dixon township.
Miss Olga Brown, Chicago road.

Foot and mouth disease was discovered late Wednesday afternoon on the Henry Carlson (the old Hutton) farm in Palmyra township, this being the third case since the second outbreak Tuesday, and the tenth that has appeared in Palmyra township since New Years Day. The Carlson quarantine is the twentieth in the immediate vicinity of Dixon.

Killed Two Herds.
Federal and state officials today killed two herds of infected cattle, one being on the Mrs. Anna O'Malley farm south of the city and the other on the George Harms farm in Palmyra.

Eighteen cattle and thirteen hogs were put to death and buried on the O'Malley farm this morning, while this afternoon the officials killed 38 head of cattle and 35 hogs on the Harms farm.

Is Very Costly.
Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—The department of Agriculture issued a statement today showing that the outbreak of the foot and mouth disease had cost the federal government \$2,129,138. Of this sum \$1,840,328 represents the federal government's share of the expense of slaughtering the affected herds and reimbursing the owners for their loss, the states paying the remainder.

Reports showed that up to Jan. 1, 1914, 176 animals had been slaughtered, about equally divided between

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Sensational Charges In Suit
Of Couple Married In Dixon

Sterling, Feb. 11.—A divorce case, in which most every crime on calendar from attempted murder to adultery is charged is that of Elizabeth Walters against her husband, Jacob Walters, the cross bill of which was filed today by Attorneys H. A. Brooks and R. W. Besse. A. A. Wolfersperger represents the plaintiff and, at today's session of the city court, motion was made by him that the cross bill be stricken from the files. Judge Sheldon will hear the arguments on this motion at a later date. The couple live on 19th avenue.

Attempted Murder Charged.
In the original bill as filed by Mrs. Walters, she asserts that she was married to Jacob Walters on March 15, 1911, in Dixon and lived with him as a faithful wife until November 11, 1914. She charges her husband during the period she resided with him with dozens of instances of cruel and inhuman treatment. On one occasion, she asserts, he tried to kill her by jamming a bottle of chloroform in her

THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.
The weather forecast for Northern Illinois for the next 24 hours is: Fair tonight, and probably unsettled tomorrow. Colder tonight and tomorrow.

Autoists Had
More Trouble
West of Dixon

Icy Roads Cause 'of Another
Mix-Up For Transcontinental Party

The coast to coast auto tourists, who stopped over in Dixon half an hour on Tuesday afternoon and then left for Clinton, Iowa, to remain over night, had another mix-up between this city and Sterling. Stanley James, the Washington, D. C., newspaper man and his partner Sig. G. Bornstein went into the ditch as a result of his car skidding on the icy roadway and by a miracle escape injury. E. W. Dolliver, president of the Dolly Electric Specialty Co. of Chicago, who with driver A. K. Carlitz, were in charge of the pilot car and were to accompany the tourists as far as Kansas City Mo., threw up the sponge on reaching Sterling, not caring to risk chances on icy roads and arrived in Dixon late yesterday afternoon on their way back to Chicago.

The tourists found that the best roads west of Clinton were directly west to Omaha, Neb., and from there they will go south to Kansas City. The roads are drifted badly through Iowa and it will likely take them ten days to make this part of the trip. Raoul F. LeMat and Miss Margaret Gale, who were in the Stutz car, are both noted moving picture people. Miss Gale has been seen in films shown in this city. Last Monday in Chicago Mr. LeMat had a hole out in the ice in Lake Michigan and dove into the cold water while a camera man stood back with his machine. At points along the route motion pictures are taken as well as kodak pictures. They want the honor of being the first picture stars to make the coast to coast trip over the Lincoln highway and doing it partly for advertising purposes.

In speaking about the trip the official organ of the Lincoln Highway says:

"The two cars driven by R. F. LeMat, New York clubman and aeroplane driver, and Stanley James, the Washington, D. C., newspaper man are now half way across the country on their long race over the Lincoln Highway for a \$5,000 stake. The first to reach the Panama Pacific Exposition grounds at San Francisco wins the wager, which was made during the New York Automobile show. A motion picture outfit is carried by one of the cars and some wonderful views of the winter scenery along the Lincoln Highway are being secured. This is the first Lincoln Highway run of the year and the only one ever attempted in the middle of the winter."

GRAHAM FAILED
OF ELECTION AND
HOUSE AJOURNED

ALEDO MAN GOT HIGH VOTE OF SIXTY-EIGHT, BUT FELL DOWN.

MEET AGAIN NEXT TUESDAY

"Wet" Republicans and Browne Democrats Stampeded to Shanahan Today.

(Associated Press)
Springfield, Feb. 11.—Wm. J. Graham, republican, of Aledo, was given a try-out for speaker today but failed. On the third roll call of the day he topped the vote of the present legislature with 68. On the next ballot seven of those left him and the house adjourned until Tuesday. Of the 68 votes received by Graham, 14 came from the democratic side.

Supporters of Browne, democrat of Ottawa, and 17 "wet" republicans stampeded to Shanahan, republican, but he said he would not accept the speakership with the aid of democratic votes. Shanahan received 39 votes.

New Man in Race.
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 10.—William J. Graham of Aledo was the central figure in today's effort to break the long-drawn-out speaker-

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AURORA SLUGGER
IS AT IT AGAIN

FEAR GRIPS TOWN AS ROBERT ZIMMERMAN IS STRUCK WITH GAS PIPE.

Aurora, Ill., Feb. 10.—A period of nervous distress which gripped Aurora last fall after the daughter of a former mayor, Miss Jennie Miller, was murdered by an unknown assailant, who darted out from the shadows of the Free Methodist church and struck her down with a pipe wrench, was renewed in a measure today. It was learned that Robert Zimmerman, an employee of the National Refining company, had been severely beaten with a loaded gas pipe. The assailant escaped.

MAYOR SUBMITS TO
DRY INTERVIEW

REFUSED ABSOLUTELY TO DISCUSS CITY POLITICAL QUESTIONS.

Mayor Brinton returned this morning from Indianapolis and La Porte, and granted an interview to the Telegraph on politics and the wet and dry situation. His interview, however, was rather dry—not in the way you may think—but so far as containing any interesting news. His statement was brief. He said that he absolutely had no interest in the race between candidates for local office and would express no preference, and neither had he a word to say regarding the wet and dry fight. The mayor said that he intended to take no part on one side or the other of any of the important questions that will come up at the next city election.

CARGO OF AMERICAN
SHIP TO PRIZE COURT

BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE DECIDED TODAY TO SEIZE CARGO OF WILHELMINA.

(Associated Press)
London, Feb. 11.—The cargo of the American steamer Wilhelmina was seized at Falmouth today, according to a decision of the British foreign office, and the cargo will go to a prize court.

Dacia Sailed Today.
The American steamer Dacia with a cargo of cotton for Germany via Rotterdam, sailed today from Norfolk, Va. Great Britain has threatened to seize the ship and take it to a prize court to determine whether the transfer of the ship from German to American registry is bonafide.

Traveling Men
Are Opposed To
Increased Fare

Dixon Council U.C.T. Goes On Record And Cites Reasons

Dixon Council No. 558, United Commercial Travelers of America is strongly opposed to the proposed increase of passenger rates from 2 cents to 2½ cents in the state, the railroads' side of which proposed change was presented to a mass meeting of business and professional men at the city hall Wednesday afternoon. In commenting on the attitude of the traveling men A. E. Taylor, chairman of the railroad committee of the Dixon council, said:

"The Commercial Travelers of Dixon, Illinois, and especially the members of the United Commercial Travelers of America, Dixon Council No. 558, are strongly against the raising of passenger traffic fares in Illinois, as well as all other states in the Western Passenger association, as we believe that the present rates are adequate for a fair return of profit on the 'actual' cost and maintenance of the service as given the traveling public in this state under present conditions. We know that business conditions have not been the best in this country for the past

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GRANTS RAILROADS
RELIEF TO COMPETE
WITH CANAL RATES

EFFECTS OF PANAMA CANAL WERE SHOWN TO INTERSTATE COMMERCE BODY.

(Associated Press)
Washington, Feb. 11.—The revolutionary effect of the Panama Canal on transcontinental transportation was brought out today when the Interstate Commerce commission issued an order permitting the transcontinental railroads to establish certain commodity rates from eastern points to the Pacific coast terminals, which rates are lower than those to intermediate points in the inter-mountain territory.

"Shrinkage rates via the canal from New York to San Francisco," says the commission, "put the transcontinental carriers in serious straits. Had additional relief not been granted there is reason to believe that many of the industries in the vicinity of Chicago would either have lost their Pacific customers or would have been compelled to migrate to the Atlantic seaboard. The net result of the relief will be that industries of Chicago and the middle west will continue their business of supplying customers on the Pacific."

FEATURES FOR BIG
PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

LADIES OF EPISCOPAL CHURCH TELL WHO WILL ASSIST MONDAY EVENING.

The program of the benefit entertainment which will be given at the Family theater Monday night of next week by the ladies of St. Agnes Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church, has been made public, and among the numbers which will be presented at this time are:

Miss Marcela Kent, in fancy dancing.
Mrs. Wilhelmina Seyfarth Taylor and Miss Avis Thompson, in ball room dances.
Walter Stott, violinist.
E. T. Bailey, soloist.
Monday, Feb. 15, is the date. The prices are nominal.

QUARTET AT ELKS THIS EVE.

The concert to be given at the Elks' club this evening by the De-Koven Male Quartet for members of the order and their families, will commence at 8 o'clock, and as the quartet is one of the best attractions the house committee has secured for their entertainment courses in recent years it is very probable the lodge room will be filled to capacity.

Wholesale Murders at German
Home For Aged Odd Fellows.



Photos by American Press Association.

Alleged wholesale murders of aged patients at the German Odd Fellows' home at Yonkers, N. Y., attracted wide attention to a sensational case. According to the confession of Frederic Mors, a porter at the institution, who is now in custody, he is responsible for killing at least eight aged men and women. A typical group of aged inmates is here shown, and a view of the home.

War Declared
On Every Dog
In Lee County

Dogs In City And Country Must Be Kept Tied During Quarantine

War has been declared on dogs in Lee county as a further measure to prevent spread of foot and mouth disease. Dr. L. B. Swingley, assistant state veterinarian for Lee county, has proclaimed war in the following notice, dated today:

Notice.
Complaints have been made to me that section 1, rule 9 of the Governor's proclamation, which reads: "All dogs within the quarantined areas shall be kept tied or in close confinement," has not been carefully observed. After three days from this date all dogs found running at large will be summarily taken care of by the sheriff or police officers. This applies to city and country dogs as ordered by the Governor's proclamation. This must be done for the protection of everyone and is a matter of public policy and not to enforce inconvenience or hardship upon anyone.
February 11th, 1915.
L. B. SWINGLEY, M. D. C.
Assistant State Veterinarian.

LAST OF INFECTED
STOCK IN WHITESIDE
WAS KILLED TUESDAY

TOTAL NUMBER OF HERDS DESTROYED THERE WAS SIXTY-NINE.

The last herd of infected cattle in Whiteside county was killed Tuesday.

The total number of herds of cattle in the county slaughtered as a result of the foot and mouth disease was sixty-nine. The total value of the cattle slaughtered is approximately \$140,000. The total cost of cleaning up the farms and other losses about \$60,000 making the total loss to the county of about \$200,000. Disinfecting Farms.

The work of disinfecting the farms is being rushed, and before the end of the present week every farm in the county will be disinfected and be released from quarantine immediately.

PRAYER MEETING.

There will be prayer meeting at 7:30 tonight at the Presbyterian church. The theme will be "Eyes and Evidence."

CLAIM GERMAN
LOSS IN EAST
WAS 45,000

PARIS SAYS THAT MANY WERE KILLED ALONG TWO BATTLE FRONTS.

EMPEROR HURRIES TO BERLIN

To Hold a Conference With General Von Moltke—Says Outlook Is Hopeful.

U. S. SENDS WARNING. (Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—The United States has warned Great Britain and Germany that the general use of the American flag by British vessels will be viewed with grave concern here and that the destruction by Germany of any American vessel in the war zone will lead to serious complications.

WAR SUMMARY
(Associated Press)

It is reported that the military authorities of Insterburg in East Prussia have advised the population to leave the town.

LODZ EVACUATED

Paris says the evacuation of Lodz has been confirmed. Lodz is the second largest city in Poland and was captured by the Germans on Dec. 6, after desperate Russian resistance.

BATTLE CONTINUES.

The battle in the Carpathians, begun Feb. 7, continues furiously, says a Geneva dispatch. In a single charge by the Russians upon one of the Austro-Hungarian trenches 1,500 men were killed and wounded in three hours of bayonet fighting.

DAY SHIRT IPS BROKEN.

The Berlin Tageblatt's correspondent telegraphs that the offensive spirit of the Russians in the Carpathians appears to have been broken and that they are on the defensive. He says the Russians have lost 10,000 in dead, wounded and prisoners since the end of January.

SERIOUS BATTLE ON.

A serious battle is now going on before Dukla Pass.

DENY RUSS CLAIMS

Petrograd's claims of victories are not admitted in Berlin.

WILLIAM RETURNS.

According to dispatches from Denmark, Emperor William returned hurriedly from the Polish theater of war and held a military conference with Gen. Von Moltke and others. It is reported that the Emperor finds the situation generally hopeful, but is greatly depressed over the terrible price in men Germany has to pay for the limited advance against the Russians.

Paris dispatches by way of Warsaw say that the German losses at the Bzura and Rawka fronts are 45,000 dead. This report is absolutely without confirmation from any other source. It is said the Germans are making an effort to transfer the fighting to some point where the Russians are less formidable.

Premier Asquith announced today that Great Britain was about to take more stringent measures against the trade of Germany.

The British Foreign Secretary said it would be useless for the allies to outline the terms on which they would discuss peace, on account of the recent public utterances in Germany.

DIXON BUSINESS
MEN RESOLVE TO
HELP RAILROADS

RECOMMEND THAT PASSENGER FARE BE RAISED ON THE PROPER SHOWING.

HATCH GIVES PLAIN ARGUMENT

Passenger Traffic Manager of Illinois Central Tells of Road's Condition.

The business men of Dixon who gathered at the city hall Wednesday afternoon to hear the plea of the railroad officials for public help in securing an increase of the passenger fare in Illinois, after hearing the facts as presented by the railroad men, whose names were published in Wednesday evening's Telegraph, passed the following resolutions, which were presented by A. C. Warner:

"Whereas, the Interstate Commerce commission, after an exhaustive investigation, in their decision of July 29, 1914, expressed the opinion that there was need for additional passenger revenues, and that if the statutory fares in Illinois were clearly shown to be burdensome to the carriers, the people would cheerfully acquiesce in a reasonable increase.

"Therefore, Be It Resolved, That we recommend to our representatives and senators in the legislature, that upon proper showing by the railroads that such an increase is reasonable, that the laws be so amended as to fix the maximum railroad rate for passengers traveling in Illinois at 2½¢ per mile instead of 2¢ per mile, thus restoring to the railroads one-half the

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Excellent Program For
PawPaw Teachers Meet

The program for the district teachers' institute to be held in PawPaw at the opera house on Saturday, has been completed and it promises to be one of the best institutes to have been held in the county this year. Several of the Dixon teachers are planning on attending and they no doubt will be well repaid for the journey.

The complete program is as follows:
9:00 Music—High school orchestra.
Address of welcome—Mayor of PawPaw.
Vocational Education—Supt. H. E. Cobb, PawPaw.
How to Study—Supt. H. H. Hagen, North Dixon.

Organized Methods with Beginners—Prin. L. Maude Reynolds, Lee.
1:15 Music—High school orchestra.
A Student's Observations in Germany—Prin. Grace M. Currier, PawPaw.
Song—Primary Pupils—Direction of Miss Erma Lowery.
Zouave Drill—Direction of Supt. H. E. Cobb.
The Recitation—Supt. H. H. Hagen.
Agriculture in our Schools—Prof. Gayle N. Hufford, PawPaw.
Round Table.
Business.

Vest Pocket Essays



SLEIGHING.

Sleighting was a winter sport which flourished exceedingly twenty-five years ago, and three a gentle glaze over the winter which can not be imitated by modern devices.

Nothing mitigated the old fashioned, sharp-toothed winter much for the American young man of 1890 as a chance to tuck himself and a pretty girl into a snug little sleigh built for one and a half persons, and to glide swiftly into the white-mantled solitudes, driving with one hand and spreading a broad layer of bliss and sleighbells music through the land. Right after a heavy snow in the old fashioned winter the sale of engagement rings increased 100 per cent.

Those happy days are past, however. The sleigh rests upside down in the hayloft under a thick deposit of dust, and the sweet jingling chorus of sleigh bells on a January evening has

given way to the hectic and staccato oratory of the man who is trying to crank an automobile fast enough to heat it up to the starting point.

Two things have driven the sleigh to the barn loft—the automobile and the climate. It is not necessary to rise at 6 a. m. and thaw out a pump in order to feed an automobile, and the climate seems to have broken down and surrendered a good deal in the last quarter of a century. After the devoted adherent to the graceful and intoxicating sleigh has waited until February to use it and has then had to drive home through four inches of unpoetical mud, he becomes slightly soured on sleighing and begins to betray a feverish interest in non-skid tires.

The automobile now hauls the young people of America through the land, while the industrious hen lays eggs in the straw-filled bottoms of the sleighs of our ancestors. The automobile is not as romantic as the sleigh, but it has one great advantage. The small boy cannot hitch a sled to the back of it and travel behind for ten miles, drinking eagerly in words intended for one set of ears alone.

Dementtown Doings

It doesn't take a baby long to become an old story. Even the White House one is steadily working toward the back page.

A St. Louis girl worth a fortune of \$4,000,000 is going to marry a poor young man. And the bridal chorus will sing: "Oh, You Lucky Devil."

A great many people have thought that Ireland was always in the war zone.

Mr. Bryan continually refers to "de serving democrats," but it is mighty hard for some people to believe that there is any such animal.

The neutral nation is rapidly being pushed into the position that was occupied by the innocent bystander.

John D. Rockefeller and Andy Carnegie took the witness stand last week—which, according to some beliefs, was about the only thing they hadn't taken before that time.

Longevity may be, as has been said largely a matter of diet, but personally we think it is mostly a matter of time.

Needed a Label.

"Jones is a first rate fellow if you know how to take him."

"Maybe he is, but hang those fellows who need to be accompanied by directions, like a bottle of patent medicine."

The Out and Out Truth.

"Was the man the same one that brought the bill before?"

"Yes."

"Did you say I was out?"

"No. I told him I thought he was."

Jarred the Judge.

Judge—"You admit, then, that you stole the loaf of bread?"

Woman Prisoner—Yes, your honor.

Judge—What have you to say for yourself?

Woman—Nothing, your honor. If it was lace or jewelry I might plead kleptomaniac; but we can't work that when it's bread.

A Relief Measure.

"What's good for a person with water on the brain?"

the change in climate may be beneficial to him. He has been in poor health for sometime having spent many years of confinement to office work in the County Clerk's office before assuming his new duties.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Ernest M. Beck, Steward, and Marie Stroble, Steward.

MCCARTY VS. HALEY.

At th Brunswick alleys this evening a contest will be rolled off in the Amateur league between McCarty and Haley's teams.

STATE SPORTSMEN OBEY QUARANTINE

ARE TAKING PHILOSOPHICAL VIEW OF BAN PLACED ON HUNTING.

Sportsmen throughout the state are taking a philosophical view of the ban placed on hunting, due to the foot and mouth disease, and are obeying the state instructions. Some of the foreign element are not taking so readily to the situation, however, and are causing the game warden more or less trouble.

The sporting goods dealers are the hardest hit by the state quarantine. No ammunition or sporting goods are being sold for the time being, meaning a loss of many thousands of dollars.

Very few arrests have been made of late, giving evidence that the hunters are strictly abiding by the laws. Even though a hunter has a permit from a farmer allowing him to hunt on the latter's land, he cannot do so legally as the governor has decreed that hunting is positively prohibited.

Before the foot and mouth disease broke out the hunters expressed themselves as very much displeased with the manner in which they were treated by some of the farmers. The hunters felt that even though they paid for the hunting license, yet they were not receiving protection, but to the contrary were liable to be arrested and fined if they happened to get on a farmer's land who was not kindly disposed to hunters. The average hunter felt that he ought to be somewhat more protected.

FOUR CITIES WANT LAUNCH REGATTA

MISSISSIPPI POWER BOAT ASSN. MEETING IS A COVETED SESSION.

Four cities are actively in the field for the 1915 regatta of the Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association. Minneapolis, Clinton, Rock Island and Hannibal have filed bids.

An official call for the semi-annual convention of this association to be held during the National Motor Boat show in Chicago, has been sent out, and the delegates to the Chicago meeting will be called upon to decide which one of the contesting cities shall have the racing classic.

The organization has associated clubs in Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, all of which will be represented.

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB TO MEET

The semi-annual meeting of the Illinois Schoolmasters' club will be held tomorrow and Saturday in the Illinois State Normal University building at Normal, opening with a banquet tomorrow evening. Neither Superintendents W. R. Snyder or H. H. Hagen of the north and south side schools expect to attend the sessions. Dr. John W. Cook, president of the Northern Illinois State Normal University at DeKalb, will be the banquet speaker and his subject will be "The History of Education and Its Relation to Present Day Problems." On Saturday morning Dr. Guy M. Whipple of the School of Education of the University of Illinois will speak on "The Problem of the Gifted Child."

CHANCERY.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, January, 1915. Frank W. Brauer vs. Francis J. Tilton, Bert Swartz, State Bank of Sterling a banking corporation, The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company a Corporation, of Milwaukee, Wis., Ralph Burns, Fred Johnson, Jason C. Ayres, Frank Whitfield, trustee, and Elmer Sollenberger.

Affidavit of non-residence of The Northwestern Life Insurance Company, a Corporation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, impleaded with the above defendants having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1915, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the Second Monday of the month of April, A. D. 1915, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

EDWIN S. ROSECRANS, Clerk.

Dixon, Illinois, February 3rd, 1915.

F. E. WINGERT, Compt's Sol.
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CLOSE Y.M.C.A. BOWLING LEAGUE

REID'S TEAM WINNERS IN TOURNEY—"CITY BREDS" VS. THE "COUNTRY JAYS" TONIGHT.

On account of many of the teams in the Y. bowling league finding it difficult to play on nights they were scheduled to play, it has been agreed to close the league according to the present standing of the teams. This leaves Captain Reid's team as the winners, and a banquet will be served within two weeks.

A new league has been organized, made up of five teams, three men to a team. A schedule will be arranged and it is hoped to start the games next week.

This evening the final game between the "Country Jays" and "City Breds" will be rolled and it promises to be a fight to the finish, with a chicken dinner at stake.

BOAT OWNERS WILL MEET NEXT WEDNESDAY

WILL REORGANIZE DIXON BOAT OWNERS ASSOCIATION AT THAT TIME.

Several of the launch owners met informally Wednesday evening to discuss plans for the reorganization of the Dixon Boat Owners' association, and as a result of the gathering arrangements have been perfected for a meeting of all launch and canoe owners to be held at the city council rooms next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The object of the association is for the mutual protection of property and interests of the boaters and for the furtherance of the pleasure in this vicinity. All who are interested, whether boat owners or not, are invited to the meeting next Wednesday evening.

KALEBAUGH WAS PAROLED BY JUDGE

FOLLOWING WHICH CIRCUIT COURT TOOK UP COAKLEY ADMINISTRATORSHIP.

In the Circuit court this afternoon Judge Garrard passed sentence on Clarence Kalebaugh found guilty by a jury ten days ago on the charge of embezzlement and larceny and the sum taken being fixed at \$50. He was paroled for one year to Probation Officer W. H. Winn and bond was fixed in the sum of \$500. His father signed the bond.

The remainder of the afternoon was taken up in listening to testimony in the matter of the estate of Ira Coakley, deceased. A son, George Coakley had been appointed administrator of the estate and later a petition was filed in the county court by another brother, Andrew Coakley, alleging that his father was a resident of Ogle county at the time of his death, hence the estate should be probated in Ogle county and the court granted the prayer of the petition. The case was appealed to the Circuit court.

BIG SALE OF SAMPLE SHOES.

On next Saturday at Henry's Exclusive Shoe store will take place the biggest sale of "Ladies' Misses' and Children's Sample Shoes ever held in this city. Mr. Lebowick has been extremely fortunate in securing this big line of sample shoes at this time of the season, when the leather and the cost of shoes is on the advance and everyone should attend the sale and secure some of these big bargains.

An Old, Family Cough Remedy, Home-Made

Easily Prepared—Costs Very Little, but is Prompt, Sure and Effective

By making this pint of old-time cough syrup at home you not only save about \$2. as compared with the ready-made kind, but you will also have a much more prompt and positive remedy in every way. It overcomes the usual coughs, throat and chest colds in 24 hours—relieves even whooping cough quickly—and is excellent, too, for bronchitis, bronchial asthma, hoarseness and spasmodic croup.

Get from any drug store 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour it into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. Full directions with Pinex. Keeps perfectly and tastes good.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. It quickly loosens the dry, hoarse or painful cough and heals the inflamed membranes. It also has a remarkable effect in overcoming the persistent hoarse cough by stopping the formation of phlegm in the throat and bronchial tubes.

The effect of Pinex on the membranes is known by almost every one. Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract combined with guaiaicol and other natural healing pine elements.

There are many worthless imitations of this famous mixture. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex," and do not accept anything else.

A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this preparation. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

NEW SPECIALIST TO LOCATE IN DIXON

DR. VALENTINE, EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT DOCTOR TO LIVE HERE.

Dr. J. A. S. Valentine of Chicago, an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist has decided to locate in Dixon, and sometime next week he will move his family to this city, and will occupy offices in the Dixon National bank building which he has leased. Dr. Valentine will make his home in West Dixon, having rented a house there. He is a thoroughly experienced man in his profession. He is a graduate of Northwestern and has had special work in New York City and Chicago, two years having been spent in the Chicago Eye and Ear Infirmary.

GOES TO PAWPAW.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller left for PawPaw this afternoon and will spend tomorrow in visiting schools in Willow Creek township. In the evening he will attend the entertainment at the Scarboro school. Saturday he will attend the institute at PawPaw.

Particular PEOPLE BUY



BRIDAL

Cambrics, Nainsooks, Long Cloths, Sheeting, Sheets and Cases, Muslin, Tubings, Tissues.

O. H. BROWN CO.

WOULD HAVE U. S. WARDENS V. & O. SELL STERLING STORE

Great Britain Arranges for Neutrals Over Prisoners in Germany.

London, Feb. 11.—The British government has arranged with the government of the United States to appoint quartermasters and paymasters in the American army to act as neutral wardens of British prisoners of war in Germany.

The initiation of this plan, however, has been delayed, as Germany still has the matter under consideration.

Sterling Gazette: G. L. Sullivan of Chicago and C. E. O'Malley of Moline have purchased the lease, fixtures and stock of the Vaile & O'Malley clothing store in this city. The store will be closed for invoice on Thursday and will remain closed until February 27 during which time the new firm will install their new goods, re-arrange the interior of the store and make other necessary arrangements.

Special Inducement on House Wiring FOR THE NEXT TWO MONTHS.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Thursday.
G. A. R. Bazaar—Rosbrook hall.
C. C. Sunday school class basket social—Methodist church.
Basket Social—Stott school.
DeKoven Male Quartet—Elks' Club.
K. L. C. E. Social—Grace Evangelical church.
Valentine Social—Dorcas society Congregational church.
E. R. B. Class Meeting—Mrs. Chas. Edous.
Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Herbert Scott.
Flag Corner Embroidery Club—Mrs. Cal. Garland.
Friendship Lodge—Stated Meeting.
Royal Neighbors—Miller hall.

Friday.
G. A. R. Bazaar—Rosbrook hall.
Contata Practice—M. E. church.
M. W. A. Foresters—Miller's hall.
Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—L. O. O. F. hall.
Invincible Charity Ball—Armory hall.
Candlelighters of Presbyterian church—Mrs. T. W. Greig.
North American Union—Miller's Hall.
Mrs. Wingert's section M. E. Aid Society—Mrs. John Sterling.
Organ Recital, Prof. Clifford Thompson—St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Saturday.
G. A. R. Bazaar—Rosbrook hall.

Class Party.
Miss Harriett Church of Palmyra will entertain the members of the Sophomore class of the North Dixon High school at her home Friday evening.

With Cards.
Mrs. Z. M. Moss and Mrs. George Downing will entertain a company of ladies with cards Saturday afternoon.

Valentine Party.
Miss Eleanor Coppins and Miss Eunice Lang will be hostesses to a company of friends, Saturday evening, when they will entertain with a Valentine party at the home of Miss Coppins.

Attend Dixon Party.
Sterling Gazette: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrus and three children of Rock Falls were in Dixon Tuesday, where they were guests at a birthday party given in honor of Mr. Barrus' mother, Mrs. Rose Bennett. Fifty guests spent the day at the Bennett home enjoying a scramble dinner at noon. Mrs. Bennett was presented with several bouquets of cut flowers and a handsome pedestal from the guests.

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I. O. O. F. Social.

Over 200 people enjoyed the social last evening given under the auspices of the Odd Fellows in I. O. O. hall in Sterling. The address of the evening was given by Dr. Robbins of Dixon, who spoke for a half hour or more on "Odd Fellowship." His address was very interesting and he held his large audience in closest attention.

Following the program the remainder of the evening was spent in formally. Cochran's orchestra furnished the music for the dancing while those who did not dance played cards and other games in the lodge rooms. During the evening refreshments were served.

Married at St. Patrick's Church.

Miss Martha Augusta Caulfield and Mr. George Green, both of Dixon were united in marriage at St. Patrick's church in this city, Rev. Father Foley officiating, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

The young couple were attended by Miss Agnes Caulfield, sister of the bride and Joseph Green, brother of the groom, as bridesmaid and best man. The bride and her attendant were both gowned in suits of white serge.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride, 424 Carroll avenue.

Mr. Green and his bride went at once to housekeeping on Galena avenue, where they have a home furnished.

Birthday Surprise.

Mrs. Robert Adams was the victim of a very happy surprise party at her home Wednesday afternoon, the affair having been planned by her daughter, Miss Leah, in honor of Mrs. Adams' birthday. Twenty-five ladies helped her celebrate and remembered her with many pretty and useful gifts, while refreshments completed the pleasure. The out of town guests were Mrs. Carrie Gebhardt and daughters, Miss Pearl of Sterling.

W. C. O. F. Tonight.

The regular meeting of the W. C. O. F. will be held this evening at K. C. hall. All members are urged to attend.

In Socialist Hall.

The unemployed of this city are cordially invited to celebrate Lincoln's birthday at Schuler's hall corner of First street and Galena avenue, stairway leading to hall being just south of Kennedy's cigar store, tomorrow afternoon, Friday, Feb. 12th, at 2:30 o'clock. All of the unemployed are especially requested to be present, all of their friends and all of those interested in the welfare of the unemployed are urgently and cordially invited to attend, both men and women.

Enjoy Bob Ride.

A number of people of Dixon formed a bob party and went to Grand Detour Tuesday evening and dined at the Sheffield hotel. Those in the party were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McAlpine, W. A. Schuler, F. J. Roshbrook, W. W. Gilbert, Z. W. Moss; Mesdames Samuel Watson, H. U. Bardwell, E. B. Owens, T. W. Fuller and Misses Christina Squires, Grace Crawford and Franc Ingraham.

Surprise Mr. Lehman.

Samuel Lehman was given a pleasant surprise Tuesday evening when about eight friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lehman on East Chamberlain street to spend the evening with Mr. Lehman. They gathered at the Lehman home about 7 o'clock and spent the evening in a most enjoyable manner, playing games and enjoying music. The decorations were in keeping with the Valentine season, while the centerpiece of the table was a large bouquet of roses.

At 9:30 a delicious luncheon was served after which the guests departed expressing their appreciation of the happily spent evening.

Contata Practice.

All members of the M. E. choir are requested to meet, Friday evening at the church for contata practice at 7:15 sharp.

Luncheon on Friday.

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell will entertain with a luncheon on Friday of this week.

Sunday School Class Party.

Mrs. Earl Kennedy was hostess to a delightful gathering, yesterday afternoon at her home on Fellows street when she entertained the members of Mrs. M. W. Rowe's Sunday school class of the Methodist church. Her guests numbered about 45 and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent by all. Each guest, as had been planned previously brought a cooking receipt with them, and these they exchanged with each other. Guessing games were played, which brought forth a great deal of merriment.

During the afternoon delicious refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, fruit salad, cakes and coffee were partaken of.

Dinner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Alexander will entertain with a dinner on Saturday evening.

Social at North Side Church.

A short musical program will be given this evening at the Grace Evangelical church in North Dixon at 8 o'clock which will be followed by a social hour in the basement of the church, the evening's entertainment being given by the Social Life committee of the Christian Endeavor society of the church.

All members and friends of the society are cordially invited to attend and a good time is assured. No charge is to be made.

Invincible Charity Ball.

The Invincibles will hold their annual charity ball Friday evening, on Feb. 12th, in the Armory hall. The parties held by these young ladies are always very successful affairs, and those attending are always shown a most enjoyable evening. The Marquette orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music for the dancing and will give a concert from 8:30 to 9:00 o'clock, at which time dancing will begin and continue until 1:00 o'clock. The Invincibles are worthy of patronage of all lovers of dancing and it is hoped that a good crowd will attend tomorrow evening.

Will Entertain.

Miss Bernice Powell, teacher of the Dixon high school will entertain a few friends this evening.

Old Fashioned Dancing Party.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barge Martin has arranged to give another old-fashioned dancing party on April 8th at the Armory hall. Her former party was a grand success throughout and it is hoped by her many friends that the coming party may be as successful as the first and of the same nature.

Phidian Art Club.

The Phidian Art Club met with Mrs. O. H. Brown and Mrs. E. E. Wingert at the home of the latter on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. E. A. Sickles sang a collection of four beautiful songs which were typical of the season of the year—"Lilacs," by Rockmannoff; "In Summer," by Brahms; "Indian Summer" by Codman; "North Wind," by Salter. These were beautifully executed and were followed by Miss Grace Rogers on the piano. Miss Rogers played "Fantasie Impromptu," by Chopin and she responded to an encore with "The Shadow Dance" by McDowell. Mrs. Mahlon Forsyth read the paper of the afternoon, her subject being, "Ferdinand and Isabella and the Spanish Inquisition." Married very young, living in penury, although on a throne, their kingdom divided in its religious views, these rulers found much to do upon their accession. Considering that punishment would bring their subjects to the Catholic faith, the inquisition was established from which hundreds of thousands suffered by various punishments. After a ten years' war the Jews were driven out, five children were born to Ferdinand and Isabella, who was a devoted wife and mother, and who died of melancholia at the age of fifty-four. She was one of the greatest queens in history, far surpassing her royal husband in intellect and capacity for ruling. Mrs. Burhenn closed the program with the current topics of the afternoon, dwelling upon the movement of this country to buy only American made goods.

Pleasant Afternoon Party.

Mrs. O. H. Martin and Mrs. E. B. Owens were hostesses to a pleasant afternoon party yesterday, when they delightedly entertained in a very unique manner at the home of Mrs. Martin on South Crawford avenue. The guests numbered about fifty ladies. The house was artistically decorated in Valentine ornaments and cut flowers.

The afternoon was spent in playing six handed eblure. Mrs. A. W. Lord received the head favor, which was a beautiful cut-glass dish. Mrs. George Campbell was awarded the booby prize of a handsome handkerchief, while Mrs. Sam Gantz took the lone hand prize of a very pretty silver picture frame. The score cards were characteristic of St. Valentine's day, being tiny heart-shaped Valentines.

Misses Grace Martin, Franc Ingraham and Katherine Owens served a dainty luncheon.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Owens were hostesses to another company of ladies this afternoon.

Missionary Society Election.

The Missionary Society of Grace Evangelical church met Thursday afternoon at the church and an election of officers was held, resulting as follows:

President—Mrs. L. Sindlinger.
Vice President—Mrs. George Webster.

Secretary—Mrs. Fred Hobbs.
Treasurer—Mrs. Ben Gaggstetter.
Organist—Mrs. I. S. Graybill.
Librarian—Mrs. John Lievan.
Miss Mary Beede was appointed as mission band leader and Mrs. John Lievan and Mrs. Sam Mall were appointed as delegates to the convention which will be held in May at Reddick, Ill.

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12 "	x	9 "	7-6 "	x	4-6 "
10-6 "	x	9 "	6-6 "	x	4-6 "
9 "	x	9 "	6 ft	x	4-6 "
10-6 "	x	8-3 "	18 ft	x	27 inches
9 "	x	7-6 "	15 "	x	27 "
9-9 "	x	7 "	12 "	x	27 "
9 "	x	6-9 "	9 "	x	27 "
9 "	x	6 "	18 "	x	36 "
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63 "	x	36 "	12 "	x	36 "
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TWO HERDS OF STOCK KILLED

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the cattle and swine.

The loss in Illinois was more than double that of any other state, the number being killed being 36,758 as compared with 17,896 in Pennsylvania, the second state in point of loss, and 10,111 in Ohio, the third state.

Loss in Illinois Great.

The approximate value of the animals in Illinois is estimated at \$1,147,000. The value of the animals slaughtered in the entire country up to Jan. 31 is roughly \$3,400,000.

This figure represents only the appraised value of the exposed animals and not the cost of the work of slaughter, burial and disinfection.

The quarantine regulations which became effective Feb. 1 are still in force and will be until the disease is entirely stamped out.

Plague in Peoria County.

Peoria county, one of the fifteen in the state declared free of the foot and mouth disease by Governor Dunne's proclamation, has been attacked by the live stock plague.

A herd of thirty-five cattle, most of them pure bred, was killed by federal and state inspectors yesterday on the Grimes farm in Radnor township. Seventeen hogs also are affected. The place is a dairy farm which had sold much of its product in Peoria.

DRY COMMITTEE MEETS TONIGHT

The organization of the committee in charge of the circulation of petitions to bring up the wet and dry question at the opening city election, will be made this evening at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, supper being served at 6:30 o'clock.

Entertained at 1 O'clock Luncheon.
Mrs. John Kennedy, Mrs. Henry Wise and Mrs. W. H. Ruppert were hostesses at a 1 o'clock luncheon served in the G. A. R. hall yesterday to about 35 of the ladies of the W. R. C. A delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed by the guests and the afternoon was pleasantly spent in sewing.

G. A. R. Bazaar.

The G. A. R. bazaar which is being held at Rosbrook hall was well patronized, last evening. The floor was well filled with dancers all the evening. The ladies made a good many sales of fancy work and rugs. Friday afternoon the ladies will give a card party at Rosbrook hall from 2:30 to 4:00 o'clock to which the public are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served by the ladies.

Home from Vacation.

Miss Carmen Dement is home from her studies at Knoxville college for a week's visit with her mother and other relatives.

L. O. O. M. Dance.

The Loyal Order of Moose will hold their weekly dancing party in their hall tomorrow evening and all friends of the order are invited.

Basket Social.

The members of the C. C. Sunday School of the Methodist church will hold a basket social at the Methodist church this evening to which the public is cordially invited. The following program will be given: Reading—Miss Rosette Carnahan. Quartet—Miss Joy Stitzel, Miss Olive Kertz, Miss Goldie Rice, and Miss Myrtle Anderson. Reading—Rev. Stone. Vocal solo—Harry Derr.

DECLARED QUARTERLY DIVIDEN

(Associated Press)
Boston, Feb. 11—The Calumet Hedla Mining company today declared a quarterly dividend of \$5 per share, payable in March.

ELECTED NEW "BLACK POPE"

(Associated Press)

Rome, Feb. 11—Father Lebochowsky was today elected General of the Society of Jesus in succession to Father Wernz who died a few hours after Pope Plus. The Generals of the Society of Jesus, are elected for life and are known as "The Black Pope."

Mrs. Emil Schertner has returned to this city after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. C. Chron of Franklin Grove.

Too Late To Class

FOR RENT. Modern room 2 1/2 blocks from P. O. Unit at East Second St. Phone 13615. 351t

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THE TRUTH ABOUT "TWILIGHT SLEEP."

The Illinois Medical Journal is a pretty reliable publication. What it prints is true. The last number contained an editorial on "Twilight Sleep," and a Dixon physician hands it to us for publication with a view of correcting erroneous impressions that have been created. It follows:

In reviewing the medical and lay literature of the last three months, it is at once noticed that a large amount of space is given to the above title. Soon we forget the tuberculosis cure of Friedmann or the discovery of the north pole.

Since midwifery has been taught as a science every effort has been made to reduce to the minimum the attending pains of labor, and it is rarely that we find an obstetrician who does not use anesthetics in the practice of his art. Just so soon as a new anesthetic or anodyne is found, it is tried—as it should be—for the relief of labor pains.

A number of years ago scopolamin was highly recommended for this purpose. It was used with morphin, hyoscin, atropin, cactin, and other drugs of like character—with various results—depending much upon the enthusiasm of the attending doctor. This treatment was heralded from one end of the country to the other, but not with the same zeal as is done in the present wave of enthusiasm. After awhile the use of these drugs for obstetrical purposes diminished with about the same rapidity with which they were so widely used.

The legitimate use, when indicated, of scopolamin-morphin anesthetics, spinal anesthetics and nerve blocking anesthetics, are each a distinct advance in surgical procedure, and will, no doubt, reduce the dangers and mortalities of surgery.

That scopolamin and allied drugs, including morphin, are excellent therapeutic agents in obstetrical practice, when used with intelligence, few will dispute. To use any of them in a routine way cannot but produce harm. After awhile, when experience has taught the facts as well as faults in this medication, these drugs will find the right place in the doctor's armamentarium, and we suspect it will prove to be a very useful agent for selected cases. Under the present agitation it is deplorable that a number of our American doctors are seeing fit to take advantage of newspaper publicity for the purpose of self-advertising. It is not pleasing to the profession to have these things thrashed out in the daily press or monthly literary periodicals; nor is it pleasing to the profession to see the pictures and life histories of members, together with clinic citations, spread on a page of a Sunday newspaper. Those who are guilty of such conduct are no better than, and should be placed on the same plane of respect as Lydia Pinkham. Still a far greater condition of danger will arise from this newspaper publicity. The number of morphia subjects among women will increase in proportion to the amount of newspaper publicity that is given this treatment, and this will tend eventually to condemn a drug that might otherwise be very useful to suffering womanhood.

HELPING WITHOUT PAUPERIZING.

With thousands of men in nearly all parts of the country begging for work, the unemployed situation at present is very serious, but we believe we are safe in saying that never before was there so much intelligent effort to relieve unfortunate conditions without making paupers or causing the unemployed to lose their self-respect. The central idea in many leading manufacturing centers is to get jobs for men and women. Manufacturers and other employers, by systematic studying of conditions in their own plants, are managing to increase the number of employees. It is true that this must often be done at the expense of some who are already employed, by reducing the working hours or the days per week of employment. But the principle that it is better to give many men some employment rather than a few constant employment, is sound.

As to the question, how far a citizen is bound to be loyal to his own city, some difficult problems are presented. We believe that as a general proposition every city should use all reasonable methods to take care of its own unemployed, but we cannot sanction the criticism which has been made of some city officials and some companies that have awarded contracts for structural material and machinery outside of their own cities. This strikes us as being a rather narrow view. It might be entertained if the unemployment existed in only one part of the country, but when it is common to all manufacturing centers, the man who lets a contract today for work to be done outside his own city may be confident that he is giving employment to men who need it as badly as do some in his own city. Hence we say, stand up for your own town, but do not be narrow in your methods.—Daily Iron Trade.

TOO MUCH BAD SPELLING.

Children are taught to spell too many words, says Frank W. Ballou of the Massachusetts department of educational investigation and measurement. He claims that it is foolish to make a bluff at teaching them 15,000 words when they will never have use for more than 2,100. He gets his thunder against the mass of words from the fact that children in his school examinations have spelled which "wich" 115 times, substituted there for their 98 times and the reverse 75 times, separate "seperate" 93 times, and so on through the list of terrors. Still they may show improvement as compared with the 500 candidates for high school teaching in New York, more than thirty years ago, who spelled Balaam 178 different ways. But the Boston man is right. There is too much "spelling" in the abstract, and not enough practice at spelling in the list of words which may be of use to the people later in life.—Worcester Telegram.

Mayor Britton picked good men when he appointed Attorneys Henry S. Dixon and R. H. Scott on the park board. They are both men of action and thoughtfulness and they are excellent successors to the gentlemen who have resigned.

This spring weather ought to be very timely in the way of helping the sale of valentines if what they say about "In the Spring a young man's fancy," etc., is true.

Don't forget to patronize the Invincible Charity Ball at the Armory on Friday night. You will be helping along a most excellent cause, as well as enjoying yourself.



PLAIN WRITING.

Here's a simple rule—oh, heed it, as adown this world you tread—write your name so man can read it without standing on his head. We all get so many letters bearing signatures so vile, that we tear our hair and sweaters when we ought to sing and smile. When you make your name a jumble of fool flourishes and twists, the receiver's apt to grumble. "He has jim-jams in his wrists!" If your pen's a chronic skidder, making flourishes like those, you should pause once and consider how on others you impose. For it sets their nerves a-jangle, conning crazy signatures, striving hard to disentangle caligraphic stunts like yours. And they say, "What nerve is his'n, that he thus takes up our time!" He should spend ten years in prison, for his writing is a crime!" Some indulge in crazy writing, thinking that it's rather smart, but the reader's life it's blighting, and it breaks some weary heart. Men will cuss you fully, freely, if your signature's insane; do not try to write like Greeley till you have a Greeley's brain.

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City In Brief

—To put the radiance of sunshine in the hair, and not only make it grow long but soft and beautiful use Parisian Sage, the inexpensive tonic sold by Rowland Bros. There is nothing better to remove dandruff and stop falling hair.

Mrs. W. W. Phillips and son, Clark of Franklin Grove, and brother Freeman Shoemaker, of Wisconsin were Dixon visitors yesterday.

Mrs. F. D. Lahman of Franklin Grove called on friends here Tuesday.

Joe Ling and Sam Smith of Franklin Grove spent Monday in Dixon.

—Farm Loans—5 per cent. Downing & Fruin. 346

A. J. Sunday and son Kay, of Franklin Grove were callers in Dixon the first part of the week.

H. Hirsch was in Sterling visiting with friends yesterday.

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Mesdames Furry and Bethelmy of this city visited with Sterling friends on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Steward and family of Sterling were guests in this city Tuesday.

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Ed Valle spent Wednesday in Sterling on business.

—The young lady who lost a small brown purse last evening containing about \$6 and keys on ring will give a very generous reward if left at this office. She is most anxious to recover the keys.

Hiram Myers of this city attended the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs social at Sterling Tuesday evening.

Officer Geiger of Sterling spent Monday in this city.

P. W. Parr was in Sterling Monday on business.

—Rosenthal's Sons will place on sale for next Saturday an odd lot of hats worth \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 for \$1.00.

Contractor W. D. Baum spent the day in Chicago in attendance at the Cement show.

Dr. E. S. Lehman made a professional trip to Ashton this morning.

Elmer Trautman arrived here from Los Angeles, Calif., on Tuesday for a couple of weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trautman.

Miss Emma O'Brien left for Chicago this morning after a short visit in this city.

T. J. Holland and wife went to Chicago this morning.

W. T. Greig was in Chicago today attending the cement show.

—Mrs. Eleanor Curtis went to Chicago this morning on a short visit with friends.

J. W. Crawford and wife left for Chicago this morning, and from there go to points in Florida, returning by way of Washington, D. C.

—Mrs. C. C. Kost was an early morning passenger to the metropolis.

George Anderson went to Clinton, Iowa, on the early morning train.

Miss Inez Emmert went to Beloit, Wis., this morning for a short visit with relatives and friends.

George Bowman visited friends in Sterling Wednesday evening.

—Mrs. Muriel P. Phelps of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon Wednesday.

When People Ask Us what is good for nerves and lost weight, we always recommend

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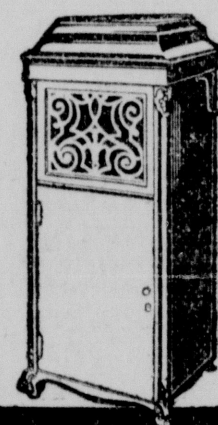
This Date Marks The
SIXTY-EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY
of THE GREATEST LIVING INVENTOR
and it is fitting that we should pause and
consider what he has done for us.

Every one knows of the *Incandescent Electric Light*,
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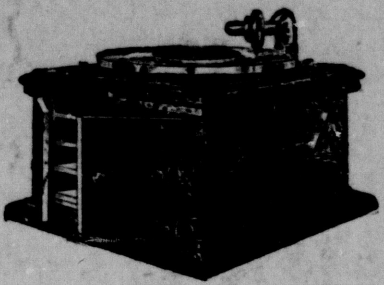
AT THE FEBRUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Starts Friday morning Feb. 12, continues for 10 Days

Our stock is greater than at previous Clearance Sale times so we have made the bargains greater, for reasonable goods must go. Now we must clean out our stock without regard to cost or profit. During this sale you will have an opportunity to select bright new goods from a stock nearly so replete with sizes and varieties as you usually find in the heart of the season. Here's a chance for your dollar to purchase three dollars worth.

For Prices—See Large Bills.

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TEN DAYS



VICTROLA VI, \$25
Other Styles \$15, to \$200.

Any one can play the Victrola and every one enjoys its delightful music.

It brings to you the best music of every kind, superbly rendered by the most famous artists.



We gladly play your favorite music for you come in any time.

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OPPOSED TO INCREASE FARE

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six months, and that every business man has been lucky indeed, if he has been able to make ends meet financially, without giving him any profit on his investment. To whom shall he go and ask for increased profits on the business he is doing? He must willingly or unwillingly wait for returned prosperity to increase his profits on his investment. The railroads are not willing to do this, but

come to you and ask for increased passenger rates during times of business depression, and expect you to give it to them without murmur or complaint. Thus, we who earn our livelihood traveling over this great state of Illinois selling goods to the trade, to be transported to every city of this state by railroads, will not consent to the raising of passenger traffic rates without a strong protest.

50,000 in State.

"There are more than fifty thousand and commercial travelers living in the state of Illinois, who travel on an average of twenty-five thousand miles each year on the railroads of this and adjacent states. This figured at two cents a mile makes a total of more than 1,250,000 miles, and would amount to more than \$2,500,000 in the year. This is exclusive of the excess baggage paid by commercial travelers, which would total half as much more. If the railroads should get the raise in passenger rates asked for it would mean an increased cost to the commercial travelers of this state of 25 per cent or \$62,000 in a year. This amount of money will come out of the pockets of the commercial travelers as salaries and commissions are based on the net profit of total sales. Why should the commercial travelers of the state make a present of \$62,500 to the railroads of the state? We will not submit without a fight.

Earnings are the Same.

"It is a fact unquestioned that while the cost of every thing has advanced which enters into the traveling and living expenses of the commercial traveler, his earning power has not increased. In most every line represented on the road now, salesmen's salaries are based on the commission basis, or net result. The salesman is the fellow who 'pays the freight,' so to speak. The traveling man is the advance agent of prosperity. He goes out and sells the goods before the manufacturers can produce them or the railroads transport them. When business is good he is the first to herald the glad tidings, and when business is poor he is the first to get it in the neck. We believe he is entitled to a square deal with the rest of humanity."

COFFEE GROUND

and of excellent quality Saturday only
pound 20c Not over 5 lbs to a customer

Coats darning cotton, 3 spools . . . 5	Tatting shuttles 10
Ric Rac braid, white and colors . . . 10	Coats crochet cotton, 200-yard . . . 5
Post cards, local views, 10 for . . . 5	spool 5
Damask table cloth, yard 25	8, 10 and 12 inch embroidery, 2 . . . 15
Aluminum tea and coffee percolators 10	yds. for 15
China nest eggs 3 for 5	Maline, red, black and white yd. 10
Felt and asbestos table mats 5	Pure bleached linen for dresser . . . 25
Gray hair nets, 2 for 5	scarfs, etc., yd. 10
Mail box and paper holder 10	Electric hair curlers, card . . . 10
Folding waste baskets 10	Shepherd's check dress goods, . . . 10
Door locks with knobs complete 25	yard 10
Prang's school water colors, 3 5	Aluminum tooth brush holders 10
	Peroxide cream (greaseless) . . 10

ZOELLER'S 5c, 10c, 25c STORE

GRAHAM FAILED HOUSE AJOURNED

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ship deadlock.

Mr. Graham, who is a former state's attorney of Mercer county and is serving his first term as a Republican member of the house, was the high man on each of the five ballots taken today. The last of the day's ballots was the sixty-second during the six weeks of the deadlock.

Dry Republicans voted solidly for Mr. Graham. Ten dry Democrats also cast their ballots for him. His high mark was fifty-nine, or nineteen less than the constitutional majority of seventy-seven.

Up to Dunne Democrats.

Mr. Graham can be elected tomorrow if a dozen Dunne Democrats who are wet but hostile to Lee O'Neil Browne will vote for him. There are half a dozen additional dry Democrats who will join the combination at any time the Dunne Democrats swing into line.

Some of the Graham boosters are positive that enough Democratic votes will be available tomorrow to elect him. Others, including some of the Dunne Democrats themselves, insist that the highest possible total that can be obtained for him will be several votes short of a majority.

The seventeen insurgent wet Republicans who bolted the original party caucus voted for William P. Holaday throughout the day. Some of the other wet Republicans also refused to vote for Graham.

Mr. Graham will ask that his name be dropped from consideration in case he fails to win tomorrow.

Pace May Win Try Out.

The present program is to give James M. Pace of Macomb a tryout if Graham is eliminated by tomorrow morning's balloting.

Both Graham and Pace are classed as dries but neither has signed the Anti-Saloon League pledge. Both are acceptable to the Anti-Saloon League. Pace as well as Graham is a new member of the house.

The Pace backers say there is a possibility that the seventeen wet insurgents will vote for him. The dries do not believe this but are willing to go to Pace to give the wets an opportunity to show what they will do.

Tomorrow morning's effort to elect Graham probably will be the supreme test of the dry Republican, dry Democratic and administration combination. In case Graham cannot win it seems a certainty that no Republican can be elected by the votes of these elements.

LICENSED TO WED

Orville I. Berg, Shabbona; Lulu R. Johnson, Willow Creek.

Anton Arne, Steward; Martha Duesund, Steward.

Orlo G. Tilton, Rochelle; Katie Strang, Rochelle.

For Dandruff, we recommend

Rexall

"93" Hair Tonic

C. M. Campbell & Son.

BUSINESS MEN HELP RAILROADS

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reduction which was made in passenger fares when the present law, effective July 1, 1907, was enacted, reducing such fares from 3c to 2c per mile, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to our representatives and senators."

"There is a marked change in the general attitude of the public toward the railroads," said S. G. Hatch, passenger traffic manager of the Illinois Central.

"We all know that in the past the railroads have made mistakes in dealing with the public," he continued, "and the public has made mistakes in dealing with the railroads. I believe that misunderstandings, not ill will or prejudice, caused most of those mistakes, some of which proved quite serious to one or both sides."

"Instead of being arrayed against each other like two armies ready to fight, both the railroads and the people now seem inclined to 'get together' and treat each other fairly. There is every reason why they should do so. The railroads are wholly dependent upon the people and the people can not get along without the railroads."

"In a general way the public knows that the railroads have been having their troubles, as have other kinds of business, but it doesn't realize how critical is the situation of the railroads, representing the country's second largest industry, upon which, to some extent, every individual and every interest is dependent. Without agricultural and railroad prosperity, nobody prospers."

Comparison Shows Losses.

"A pressing need today is restoration of the maximum passenger rate to 2 1/2 cents a mile. When the 2 cent fare law was passed, cutting the maximum passenger fares 33 1/3 per cent, it was said and most people believed then and believe now—that the lower rate would cause an increase in travel which would more than offset the reduction in fare."

"Here are some facts: From June 30, 1903, to June 31, 1907, being the four year period preceding the passage of the 2 cents a mile law, the number of passengers carried one mile in Illinois increased an average of 5.58 per year per annum, while for the year ending June 30, 1913, compared with the year ending June 30, 1909, which is the latest four-year period for which statistics have been published, the average annual increase in the number of passengers carried one mile was only 4.36 per cent."

Less Travel at Lower Fare.

"The average distance traveled per passenger in the state of Illinois for the year ending June 30, 1907, before the 2 cents a mile law went into effect, was 28.10 miles, and the average fare paid was 54 cents. The average distance traveled per passenger for the year ending June 30, 1913, under the 2 cents a mile law, was only 25.16 miles, and the average fare paid was only 44 cents."

"This conclusively shows that the reduction in maximum fares from 3 cents to 2 cents a mile did not stim-

ulate travel as promised, to make up the loss. There was a decrease instead of an increase. Meanwhile, the share of the cost of railway operation and the maintenance and operating costs continued to climb, increasing much faster than revenue, an important factor in the increased operating expense was this:

No Profit on Passengers.

"I do not believe a single steam railroad in Illinois is making a profit on its passenger business, if the expenses properly to be charged to it are computed. The Interstate Commerce Commission is plainly of the same opinion, because it has accepted interstate rates on a basis of 2 1/2 cents per mile in Illinois. Some roads have such rates now in effect and all will have soon."

SPRING SHOES HAVE ARRIVED

They're well worth seeing early this season, because they're different.



"New Styles---New Leathers"

OUR showing in Spring Shoes, this season is complete in every detail---We have'nt overlooked a thing that is new in style or the best in quality. You'll find here the best products of two of the greatest eastern manufacturers, in a big assortment of shapes and qualities.

All widths from A to double E, and a service that will fit the most critical. : : :

RALSTON'S
\$3.50 to \$5.00

HURLEY'S
\$6.00

Final Clearing Of Winter Suits and Overcoats \$13.85

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DIXON ILLINOIS.

DERR FUNERAL FRIDAY P. M.

The funeral of W. A. Derr, Brooklyn highway commissioner, who passed away at his home in West Brooklyn Wednesday morning, will be held Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the house and at 2 o'clock at the Old Berg church, burial to be at the Berg cemetery.

"Bread better than meat" says Doctor Wiley
ZEPHYR FLOUR
bread costs 4c lb; meat 25c

BIG SAMPLE SHOE SALE STARTS SATURDAY FEB. 13th

Henry's Exclusive Shoe Store

I have been fortunate in securing a big line of sample Shoes from an Eastern manufacturer, making nothing but staple and good wearing

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SHOES

3-4 of which are Goodyear Welts, in patent leather, gun metal and dull kid. A few novelties in tan and fawn colors. I will place these shoes on Sale, Saturday, Feb. 13th, and wish to close them out at once at the following Low Prices:

All Ladies' and Young Women's Shoes, sizes 2 1/2 to 6. Not a pair worth less than \$3.50, some as high as \$5. All good goods, will give best of wear. On Saturday next, and until closed out, choice

\$2.50

Misses' Shoes, consisting of gun metal, dull kid and patent leather, sizes, 11 1/2 to 2. Mostly high cuts, strong, good wearing quality. Gives twice the wear of ordinary shoes. Saturday and until closed out, per pair

\$1.75

Children's Shoes, fair selection of sizes, 8 1/2 to 11, in gun metal and patent leather. Good staple shoes. Saturday and until closed out

\$1.50

REMEMBER---THIS SALE STARTS SATURDAY, FEB. 13; and demands quick action on account of the extremely low prices offered

Henry's Exclusive Shoe Store

The Exploits of Elaine

A Detective Novel and a Motion Picture Drama

By ARTHUR B. REEVE

The Well-Known Novelist and the
Creator of the "Craig Kennedy" Stories

Presented in Collaboration With the Pathe Players and the Eclectic Film Company
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One man stood on the running board, on either side of him, and two guns yawned menacingly at him. "Drive ahead that way!" muttered one man, seating himself in the runabout with his gun close to the doctor's ribs.

The other kept his place on the running board, and on they drove in the direction of the mysterious, dark house. Half a mile, perhaps, down the road, they halted and left the car beside the walk.

Doctor Martin was too surprised to marvel at anything now, and he realized that he was in the power of two desperate men. Quickly they blindfolded him.

It seemed an interminable walk, as they led him about to confuse him, but at last he could feel that they had taken him into a house and along passages, which they were making unnecessarily long in order to destroy all recollection that they could. Finally he knew that he was in a room in which others were present.

A moment later he felt them remove the bandage from his eyes, and, blinking at the light, he could see a hard-faced fellow, pale and weak, on a blood-stained couch. Over him bent

way, turned the key and admitted the Clutching Hand. As he did so he closed the door.

Evidently the fumes had not reached Elaine, or, if they had, the inrush of fresh air revived her, for she waked and quickly reached for the gun. In an instant the other crook had leaped at her. Holding his hand over her mouth to prevent her screaming, he snatched the revolver away before she could fire it.

In the meantime the Clutching Hand had taken out some chloroform, and, rolling a towel in the form of a cone, placed it over her face.

When Elaine was completely under the influence of the drug they lifted her out of bed, the chloroform cone still over her face, and quietly carried her to the door, which they had opened stealthily.

Down stairs they carried her until they came to the library with its new safe where they placed her on a couch.

At an early hour an express wagon stopped before the Dodge house and Jennings, half-dressed, answered the bell.

"We've come for that broken suit of



SCENE FROM "THE SPOILERS," AT THE OPERA HOUSE ON LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY, FRIDAY, FEB. 12, MATINEE & NIGHT.



FAMILY THEATRE.

The management of the Family has booked an excellent vaudeville bill for the last half of the week, commencing this evening, in Joe Marks and his Kid Players, consisting of 8 people. Special scenery is carried for the act representing a child's play ground. The sketch abounds in songs, dances, etc. A novelty act, The Jennies, in a big gymnastic specialty, will complete the vaudeville bill.

Pictures for tonight are: All On Account of the Cheese, and Thrown off the Throne, a Biograph comedy; The Level, a Vitagraph drama; and The Butterfly's Wings, a Selig drama.

AT THE PRINCESS.

Tonight the Princess theater will show a program of fine variety including "Our Mutual Girl," an American drama entitled "The Wiley Chaparrone" an American drama with Vivian Rich and Harry Von Meter in the leading roles. The other pictures are "Mrs. Cook's Cooking," a Beauty film which is a very funny comedy. The other reel is a Keystone comedy entitled "Her Winning Touch." This comedy has a fine cast. Come and see a fine program.

BUILDING AND RAZING A TOWN TO MAKE A PICTURE.

By the time the Selig Polyscope Company had arranged to visualize Rex Beach's noted book "The Spoilers" some features of the original environment had been eliminated, and it was necessary to restore them to preserve the atmosphere of the original work. Main street in the city of Nome, had been wrecked by a tidal wave, and then eliminated by fire that followed when the ruins were timber dry. With the aid of old photographs, every detail was restored carefully for this reincarnation of the famous placer mining town on the bleak shores of Behring

sea.

It may be recalled in the book that the miners, to rebuke the lawless invaders, who had under the false shadow of legal advice, taken their property, in revenge destroyed the mining camp of Midas. This was visualized in vivid style, as an old mining settlement was purchased and blast after blast of dynamite blew it off the map. Over three months of working time was required to make "The Spoilers," necessitating the carrying of a large company over vast distances to secure the results in authentic "locations." The book calls for a number of scenes taken in the driving rain. Producer Colin Campbell had a good healthy lot of artists and none of them shrank from the sometimes disagreeable duties involved in the real life that make "The Spoilers" big, moving and masterful.

MAGAZINE HAS DIXON PICTURE

The current issue of "Travel," a magazine, publishes with other views of the Lincoln highway, a scene in Dixon. The picture shows work that was being done on the concrete pavement on Seventh street and many of the workmen are recognizable. Inasmuch as "Travel" is widely circulated, Dixon gets some good advertising in this way.

Miss Mary Todd is expected home this afternoon from several days spent at Madison, Wis.

William Sachs of Steward was a visitor in this city today.

Martin Smith of Reynolds transacted business in this city today.

Louis F. Cooling of the Sandusky Portland Cement Company went to Chicago this morning to attend the Cement show.

Raymond Myers of White Rock, S. D., is visiting at the Fred Reinking home north of Dixon.

The regular meeting of the Damsant was held in Miller's hall this afternoon.

SAVE COLLEGE GIRL BY GIFTS OF BLOOD

Miss Hawkyard Will Return to Classes Next Week.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 11.—Miss Camille Hawkyard, daughter of a Decatur banker, will return to her classes in the Millikin Conservatory of Music next week, by the grace and self-sacrifice of her mother and three of her schoolmates, who gave her two and one-half pints of their blood when she was on the point of death.

Miss Hawkyard is reported to be gaining strength in St. Mary's hospital, where she underwent an operation for transfusion of blood. Her mother, Mrs. G. E. Hawkyard of Warrensburg, and the three schoolmates, Misses Bessie Sturm, Margaret Cloyd and Anna Stowell, also are rapidly recovering from the physical exhaustion which followed the operation.

Miss Hawkyard went to Springfield early Sunday morning and underwent an operation for a growth in her throat. On the way back she became ill and was taken off the train unconscious when she reached Decatur. A physician could detect no pulse movement or heart beat, but in the hope that life might be revived he suggested transfusion of blood.

Without hesitation the mother and six girl chums offered their blood. Three of the girls were rejected and the others went in turn to the operating table. One pint of blood was transferred from Mrs. Hawkyard and one-half a pint each from Misses Stowell, Cloyd and Sturm.

INDIGESTION GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

TIME "PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" IN FIVE MINUTES ALL STOMACH MISERY IS GONE.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what your eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath is foul; tongue is coated; your insides filled with the indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—a most marvelous, and the joy is it's harmless.

A large fifty-cent crate of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

Happy
Bake
Days



CALUMET BAKING POWDER



The cook is happy, the other members of the family are happy—appetites sharpen, things brighten up generally. And Calumet Baking Powder is responsible for it all. For Calumet never fails. Its wonderful leavening qualities insure perfectly shortened, faultlessly raised bakings.

Cannot be compared with other baking powders, which promise without performing.

Even a beginner in cooking gets delightful results with this never-failing Calumet Baking Powder. Your grocer knows. Ask him.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.

SCHOOLS TO OBSERVE BIRTHDAY OF NOTED

LINCOLN'S LONGFELLOW'S AND WASHINGTON'S ANNIVERSARIES THIS MONTH.

Tomorrow being Lincoln's birthday will be observed as a holiday by the banks, real estate offices and the postoffice. There will be but one delivery of mail by the city carriers in the forenoon and none by the rural carriers, with the usual holiday collection in the afternoon.

A general observance of the day will be held in the several rooms in each of the south and north side public schools. In the south side schools recognition will also be had of St. Valentine's day which falls on Sunday. Next week will occur Longfellow's birthday and the following week will occur Washington's birthday, each of which will be duly observed in the school rooms.

WELD FOR STEALING I.C. COAL

Frank Klein of Amboy is an additional boarder at the county jail, having registered on Tuesday night. He was arrested on the charge of stealing coal from cars standing in the Illinois Central yards at Amboy, and waived hearing in a justice court. He was bound over to the grand jury of the April term of the circuit court under \$100 bonds.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK

IF CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED, GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS"

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, tale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomachache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 10-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

SWINDLING PEDDLER WORKING THE FARMERS

WARNING ISSUED AGAINST THE SELF-STYLED GROCERY AGENTS.

Don't buy dry goods, clothing or groceries of strangers who go driving through the country. They are out to get your money without giving value received. From different parts of the country come reports of a swindle successfully worked on farmers who thought they were going to get cheap groceries. Two smooth strangers went through the communities taking orders for a house in Chicago, pretending to sell a standard brand of sugar and flour so cheaply that every farmer visited took from \$10 to \$60 worth of goods, and other things besides. Because of the low price the flour and sugar had to be paid for in advance. It is alleged that in one community the swindlers picked up something like \$2,000, and no groceries were delivered.

MRS. DOLLEMEYER HOME.
Mrs. A. C. Dollemeyer returned home today after a six weeks' sojourn in Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital. She is much improved in health.

Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

C. M. Campbell & Son.

Star Players That Will Appear In The Spoilers At The Opera House Tomorrow Afternoon-Night

Thomas Santschi

(A Popular Selig Star.)



Mr. Thomas Santschi is a tall, well-built, manly looking fellow, and easily maintains supremacy in certain classes of motion picture plays which have been made famous by the Selig Polyscope company. Mr. Santschi played the part of "Alex McNamara" in "The Spoilers," and has played the "lead" in hundreds of other Selig productions. Mr. Santschi looks exactly like his photographs, and when you meet him on the street you will recognize him. He has a hobby for picking up lame and decrepit automobiles and tinkering them together. He is the producer of his own company now. Mr. Santschi is very popular with patrons of picture play theaters, and an announcement that he is to appear on the screen brings good business.

Bessie Eytan

(A Popular Selig Star.)



Bessie Eytan, a Selig star of the first magnitude, is young, beautiful, attractive and with a perfect physical development. Miss Eytan was born in Santa Barbara, Cal., and has never stepped outside her native state. Her youthful days were passed principally with the natives on Catalina island, where she learned to swim and to ride horseback among the hills. Miss Eytan entered the Selig studio in Los Angeles, Cal., as an amateur, and at once stepped into leading roles. She is fearless in the handling of wild animals and has played many parts where her early physical training fitted her to perform feats of daring and endurance such as no other actress could accomplish. Miss Eytan has beautiful luxuriant tresses.

Wheeler Oakman

(A Popular Selig Star.)



Mr. Wheeler Oakman made a big hit at that great Selig masterpiece, "The Spoilers," when he created the part of the "Broncho Kid." Mr. Oakman is a member of Colin Campbell's company, which is now producing "The Rosary," a magnificent production calculated to be even greater than "The Spoilers." He plays opposite Miss Kathryn Williams ordinarily, and has made himself exceptionally popular with the theater-going public. The work of Mr. Oakman is recognized as particularly artistic, with a careful attention to the small details that produce perfection. He has gone to Panama with the Kathryn Williams company to film Rex Beach's great novel, "The Ne'er Do Well," and will enact a leading role in this strong story.

Kathryn Williams

(A Popular Selig Star.)



Miss Kathryn Williams is unquestionably the best known and most popular motion picture star in the world. Her work in "The Adventures of Kathryn" created for her a most enviable reputation, because it was her first great creation of a part. Miss Williams possesses a most remarkable versatility and she fits from tragedy to comedy without the slightest difficulty. She is so well known that it is unnecessary to say more about her in this sketch. She recently returned from a trip through the great American desert with her company, where scenes were made to be used in the forthcoming Selig production, "The Carpet of Bagdad." Miss Williams is happy when surrounded by wild animals, which she fearlessly handles.

A few quick directions followed to his subordinates, and as he made ready to go he muttered, "Keep the doctor here. Don't let him stir from the room."

It was just before early daybreak when the Clutching Hand and his confederate reached the Dodge house in the city and came up to the back door, over the fences. As they stood there the Clutching Hand produced a master key and started to open the door. But before he did so he took out his watch.

"Let me see," he ruminated. "Twenty minutes past 4. At exactly half past I want you to do as I told you—see?"

The other crook nodded.

"You may go," ordered the Clutching Hand.

As the crook slunk away Clutching Hand stealthily let himself into the house. Noiselessly he prowled through the halls until he came to Elaine's doorway.

He gave a hasty look up and down the hall. There was no sound. Quickly he took a syringe from his pocket and bent down by the door. Inserting the end under it, he squirted some liquid through, which vaporized rapidly in a wide, fine stream of spray. Before he could give an alarm Rusty was overcome by the noxious fumes, rolled over on his back and lay still.

Outside, the other crook was waiting, looking at his watch. As the hand slowly turned the half-hour he snapped the watch shut. With a quick glance up and down the deserted street, he deftly started up the rain pipe that passed near Elaine's window.

This time there was no faithful Rusty to give warning, and the second intruder, after a glance at Elaine, still sleeping, went quickly to the door, moved the insensible dog out of the

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WANTED—Work on farm by man and wife for 1915 or longer. Experienced and good mechanic. Address, K, care Telegraph. 316*

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BUTTER AND EGGS
ARE CHEAPER BUT
SUGAR GOES UP

MILD WEATHER HAS EFFECT
ON THE LOCAL PRODUCE
MARKETS.

The mild weather of this week has had its effect on the produce market and there has been a big drop in eggs while dairy butter is a little easier. Eggs last week were selling at 37 cents while now they are quoted by the local merchants at 32 cents. Dairy butter has followed the egg market and the merchants are paying 26 cents and are retailing at 30 and 31 cents.

The sugar market is on the rampage and it would be well for the heads of the households to lay in a supply before the canning season rolls around or they are liable to pay as much for it as last fall. Sugar is now quoted by Dixon merchants at \$6.50 per hundred, a jump of nearly 75 cents in the past ten days and the tendency is for it to keep climbing. It would not be surprising to see it reach the \$9.00 mark by the middle of the summer.

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The kidneys have a big work to do. All the blood in the body is coursing through the kidneys constantly to be freed of poisonous matter. It is a heavy enough task when the kidneys are well, but a cold, chill, fever or some thoughtless exposure is likely to irritate, inflame and congest the kidneys and interrupt the purifying work.

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TEACHER WON'T BE BLUFFED

Pupil's Brother Attempts Rough House and Is Shot in Arm.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Feb. 11.—John Boze of Millsboro is in the hospital here suffering from a wound inflicted by a school teacher named Thomas, who had whipped Boze's younger brother in school. The school boy is said to have drawn a knife on the teacher and the weapon was taken from him and turned over to the state's attorney.

John Boze claimed the knife was his property and demanded it from Thomas, who says he told him what disposition had been made of it and offered him a dollar to make the loss good. Thomas says Boze and a companion started a fight and Thomas declares he was compelled to shoot. Attribution of Boze's arm will be necessary.

LOST

LOST. About 6:30 Tuesday evening, between postoffice and 733 E. 3rd St., a small brown purse containing about \$6 in bills and change, 11 two-cent stamps and 4 small keys on ring. If finder wishes money, please return keys and stamps, as they are not my property, to above address or this office. 34 36

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Segregation and Vaccination Urged as
Means of Preventing Spread
of the Ailment.

Hog cholera has again made its appearance in Stephenson county and thousands of dollars worth of valuable porkers are exposed to the disease. Unless the farmers of that section take immediate steps to prevent the spread of the disease it will clean out many of the best herds in that locality.

When the disease first makes its appearance its spread can be prevented, according to a statement recently given out by J. H. Murphy of the Stephenson County Farm Improvement association. The hogs show symptoms which clearly distinguish cholera from any other infection. The animals fail to come up to feed or refuse to eat. They huddle together in pens or nests and would like to hide beneath the bedding. They are stiff, do not care to move about and when walking they stagger; when standing they lean against each other or some convenient post or other place. They have a hacking cough, a sticky substance oozes from the eyes and the skin may become red. Very often they are affected with constipation or diarrhea, a fever is present and hogs die within a few days.

In order to prevent the introduction of this disease into the herds, it is advisable to adopt careful methods of prevention. Quarantine all hogs brought on the farm for four weeks. Keep away from infected farms and keep the hogs away from contaminated streams. Feed a laxative diet and keep the troughs, yards and pens clean and disinfect them occasionally with quicklime. If the disease makes its appearance in your herd or in your immediate neighborhood, have a veterinarian or some experienced person vaccinate your hogs by the serum-alone method.

If cholera has already gotten into your herds, sell all well hogs which are ready for market and thus prevent the spread of the disease to the healthy animals. Call a competent veterinarian immediately to give the serum treatment. It is very advisable to burn carcasses of dead hogs promptly and also all rubbish which they may have contaminated. The surest method of keeping the animals well is to keep their surroundings clean and disinfect the yards and pens occasionally with quicklime. Keep the hogs from dirty wallows and use every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease from your neighbor's herds into your own or from yours into those of other farms.

STEWART

Stewart, Feb. 10.—Our revival meetings commenced on Sunday evening and will continue until Feb. 2nd. Miss Mary Taggart, evangelist, is here assisting Rev. Graham with the meetings.

Mrs. Lou Wilson of Dixon is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. Mary F. Burd.

Ralph Ruckman of Amboy was an over Sunday visitor here with relatives.

Lon Coon is reported on the sick list.

The Standard Bearers will meet on Saturday evening with Miss Dorothy Barnett.

Miss Nettie Wise of Davis, Ill., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jos. Carney of this place.

Mrs. Lucy Herrick will entertain the Missionary society Thursday afternoon.

A large number from here attended the Beitel trial at Dixon last week.

Mrs. Cora Byrd spent several days last week visiting with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Walter Elliott of Dixon is visiting with friends and relatives here.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

G. A. Hueser to George B. Marshall, qcd, \$1, pt. lot 2 of sub of swq 33, Dixon.

Fannie R. Norman to Alvin B. Bobbit, wd, \$14,000, nh swq and nw sq 5, East Grove.

E. Burt Raymond to John B. Ortleson, wd \$700, pt. lot 6, blk. 68, Dixon.

Nellie M. Ortleson to E. Burt Raymond, wd, \$3,000 pt lot 4, blk 25, Dixon.

EGG MARKET TOOK
SLUMP; FURTHER
DECLINE EXPECTED

PRICE IS OFF ABOUT THREE
CENTS A DOZEN—QUALITY
IS IMPROVED.

Chicago: Egg prices at Chicago last week declined 2@3c a dozen and the expectancy is that further reductions will be recorded before any permanent advance is made. Prices are still 2c to 3c a dozen higher than at this time last year, while all the indications point to an early opening of the spring producing season.

There has been a noticeable improvement in the quality of the eggs received, and the movement from northern points has exceeded arrivals from the same centers in previous years. This has caused anxiety among the local holders of supplies and while receivers have made every effort to keep the receipts moving, the holders of cold storage eggs have slashed prices to stimulate buying. Cold storage stocks are still about 100,000 cases in excess of holdings a year ago and owners are anxious to clean up.

Buying for shipment abroad has lent strength to the market for butter and cheese. Higher prices have been secured for both commodities, and further upturns are expected. Receipts for the week showed a decrease, which was attributed to increased buying in the country, and holders at the leading market centers were less anxious to sell the product they had on hand. Cold storage stocks of butter are more than 6,000,000 pounds short of reserve a year ago and comparative figures show that they are being reduced at a satisfactory rate.

TAX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at a tax sale held in Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1913, for taxes of the year A. D. 1912, Edward Zoeller purchased the following real estate, to-wit: lot number 2, block 4, Crombies Addition to Amboy, Lee County, Illinois, taxed in the name of C. Marston, and that the time of redemption from said sale will expire on June 9, A. D. 1915.

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. Daily except Sunday

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp. 11:16 a. m.
21 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp. 9:59 a. m.
24 Local Mail 5:35 p. m.
20 Local Exp. 8:16 p. m.

Freeport Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 10:40 a. m. dly 1:20 p. m.
20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.

99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.
13 10:20 a. m. 1:05 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.
*7 10:02 p. m. 12:36 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

801 8:35 Peoria Pas. 11:52 a. m.

*Los Angeles Limited.

No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo. or beyond.

INTERURBAN LINE.

Correct time of the departure of cars on the S. D. & E. E. Ry., in effect on February 1, 1915:

Lv. Dixon Lv. Sterling

5:45 6:45
7:30 8:15
9:00 9:45

10:30 11:15
12:01 12:01
1:00 1:00

2:00 2:00
3:00 3:00
4:00 4:00

5:00 5:00
6:00 6:00
7:00 7:00

8:00 8:00
9:00 9:45
10:45 11:30

TIMES MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

East Mail.

Train No. 6 3:00 a. m.
Train No. 28 6:55 a. m.

Train No. 20 10:40 a. m.
Train No. 4 3:55 p. m.

Train No. 12 5:40 p. m.

West Mail.

Train No. 5 9:40 a. m.
Train No. 13 12:40 p. m.

Train No. 27 7:00 p. m.
Train No. 9 8:20 p. m.

Train No. 15 1:30 a. m.

South Mail.

Train No. 119 6:55 a. m.
Train No. 123 10:40 a. m.

Train No. 131 4:50 p. m.

Train No. 132 9:40 a. m.
Train No. 124 4:50 p. m.

Train No. 120 7:55 p. m.

MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

Mixed White
Oats 54 55

White, Yellow.
Corn 68 69

Fuel—Retail Prices.

Hard coal (nut) \$9.60
Hard coal (egg) 9.35

Soft coal (nut) 4.25
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Coke (Milwaukee) 7.25
Wood, oak, 4-ft. cord. 5.50

Local Produce Quotations.

Pay Sell
Chickens 17 21

Eggs 28 32
Creamery butter 36

Dairy butter 26 31
Lard 11 15

Potatoes 50 70

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May 162½ 162½ 159½ 159½

July 137½ 137½ 135 135

Corn—
May 80½ 81½ 80½ 80½

July 81½ 81½ 81½ 81½

Oats—
May 61½ 61½ 60½ 61½

July 57½ 58½ 57½ 57½

Pork—
May 1895 1925 1880 1910

July 1930 1957 1925 1947

Lard—
May 1015 1037 1015 1032

July 1040 1060 1040 1055

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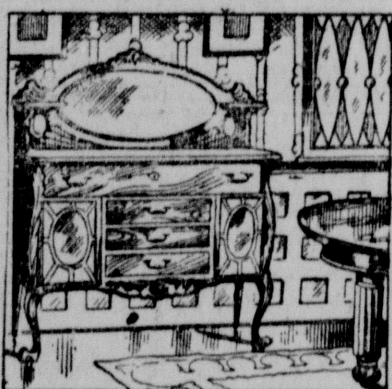
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Views on U. S. Flag Use Also
 Sent Great Britain.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Representa-
 tions will be made by the United
 States government to Germany re-
 garding the German admiralty's pro-
 clamnation of a new war zone with im-
 plied threats of danger to neutral
 shipping. It is understood that the
 necessary instructions were sent Am-
 bassador Gerard at Berlin on this mat-
 ter late last night, following the re-
 ceipt by the state department of the
 official text of the memorandum of the
 German government supplementing the
 admiralty announcement.

It is also understood that the pre-
 sentation of the views of this govern-
 ment with regard to the use of the
 American flag by British vessels draft-
 ed at the state department was trans-
 mitted to Ambassador Paase at Lon-
 don.

In the German memorandum there
 are but two statements which cause
 grave anxiety here. One is the de-
 claration of Germany's intention to
 destroy all enemy commerce found in the
 prescribed waters "without its always
 being possible to avoid the peril that
 thus threatens persons and cargoes."

After warning neutrals therefore not
 to trust its "crews passengers and
 wares to such ships" the memoran-
 dum declares that "even though the
 German naval forces have instructions
 to avoid violence to neutral ships in-
 sofar as they are recognizable, in view
 of the misuse of neutral flags ordered
 by the British government and the
 contingencies of naval warfare their
 becoming victims of torpedoes direct-
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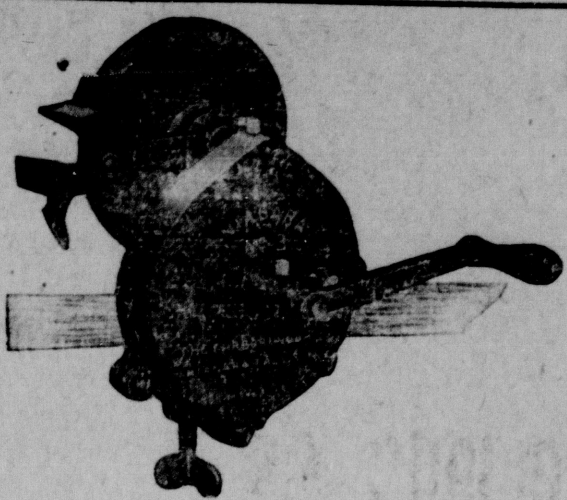
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